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SUBJ: ALLEGED STATEMENT BY AMBASSADOR YOUNG

1. DFA SECRETARY FOURIE CALLED ME TO FOREIGN MINISTRY THIS AFTERNOON TO DISCUSS A "SERIOUS MATTER" WHICH TURNED OUT TO BE SAPA-AP STORY DATELINE UNITED NATIONS APRIL 15 IN WHICH AMBASSADOR ANDREW YOUNG IS REPORTED TO HAVE DESCRIBED THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT AS "ILLEGITIMATE."

2. FOURIE SAID HE HAD BEEN ASKED (HE DID NOT SAY BY WHOM) TO REQUEST THAT I COME TO DFA. HE SAID HIS GOVERNMENT WISHED TO KNOW WHETHER THE STATEMENT ATTRIBUTED TO AMBASSADOR YOUNG IS CORRECT, AND, IF SO, WHAT IS THE USG POSITION "SINCE THIS IS OBVIOUSLY A VERY SERIOUS MATTER FOR US."

3. I TOLD HIM I KNEW NOTHING ABOUT THE ALLEGED STATEMENT AND WOULD FORWARD HIS QUESTIONS TO WASHINGTON. WOULD APPRECIATE GUIDANCE ON RESPONSE TO BE MADE TO FOURIE. BOWDLER

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